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Applicants:

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For:

VIDEO CONTENT TRANSMITTING SYSTEM AND

METHOD

Group:

2611

Examiner:

C. Lambrecht

## **STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 July 18, 2007

Sir:

On June 19, 2007, a telephone interview was conducted between Donna K. Mason, counsel to Applicants, and Examiner Christopher Lambrecht.

Applicants' separate statement of substance of interview follows:

Applicants thank the Examiner for granting the interview conducted on June 19, 2007. In the interview, arguments were presented to overcome the cited references, particularly U.S. Patent No. 6,006,264 to Colby et al. ("Colby") and U.S. Patent No. 6,006,267 to Nguyen et al. ("Nguyen"). The Examiner did not agree that all of Applicants' arguments were sufficient to overcome Colby in view of Nguyen. However, the Examiner agreed that Colby does not teach "wherein the table includes a listing of each network

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route, the total available bandwidth, and the bandwidth now in use" as recited in claim 4, and as similarly recited in claims 7, 10 and 11.

To the extent necessary, Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment of fees, to the deposit account of MATTINGLY, STANGER, MALUR & BRUNDIDGE, P.C., Deposit Account No. 50-1417 (referencing attorney docket no. 500.39531X00).

Respectfully submitted,

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